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SUMMARY: ~~(C/NOFORN)~~ IIR FORWARDS SOURCE'S CONTENTION THAT
- A RADIO TRANSMITTER IS BEING CONSTRUCTED
- VICINITY SANTA CRUZ, BOLIVIA, WITH CUBAN
- TECHNICAL/FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE.

TEXT: 1. ~~(C/NOFORN)~~ DURING CONVERSATION AT SOURCE A'S QUARTERS ON 830426, SOURCE A SPOKE OF CUBAN INVOLVEMENT IN BOLIVA, A SUBJECT OF CURRENT INTEREST AMONG SOME CIRCLES IN BUENOS AIRES. Sec. 3.3(b) (1) HE WAS INFORMED THAT A RADIO TRANSMITTER WAS BEING ERRECTED VIC SANTA CRUZ, BOLIVIA. SOURCE STATED THAT THE TRANSMITTER WAS BEING ERRECTED BY A GROUP OF CUBAN TECHNICIANS, AND THAT CONSTRUCTION WOULD BE COMPLETED IN ABOUT TWO MONTHS. SOURCE CONTINUED BY ADDING THAT THE RANGE OF THE RADIO TRANSMITTER IS SUFFICIENT TO BROADCAST TO BOLIVIA, PARAGUAY, URUGUAY, AND PARTS OF BRAZIL, CHILE, PERU, AND ARGENTINA. SOURCE STATED THAT THE PURPOSE OF THE RADIO IS TO BROADCAST LEFTIST PROPAGANDA INIMICAL TO THE ESTABLISHED GOVERNMENTS IN THE AREA.

2. ~~(C/NOFORN)~~ SOURCE B DID NOT COMMENT OTHER THAN TO AGREE WITH SOURCE A'S STATEMENTS; HOWEVER, HE IMPLIED THAT HE HAD HAD PREVIOUS KNOWLEDGE OF THE ALLEDGED CONSTRUCTION. Sec. 3.3(b) (1);Sec. 3.3(b) (6)

COMMENTS: 1. ~~(C/NOFORN)~~ COMMENTS ABOUT CUBAN INVOLVEMENT/ INFILTRATION IN PRESENT-DAY BOLIVIA ARE ROUTINE IN BUENOS AIRES. WHERE STORIES OF LEFTIST PLOTS ABOUND, AND THUS HIS INFORMATION MAY HAVE BEEN INFLUENCED BY HIS TRIP. ON THE OTHER HAND, Sec. 3.3(b) (1) BOTH, (b)(3):10 USC 424 GENUINELY BELIEVE THE INFORMATION.

2. ~~(C)~~ (b)(3):10 USC 424

EMBASSY COMMENT: ~~(C)~~

Sec. 3.3(b) (1);Sec. 3.3(b) (6)

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